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For: OPTICAL PICKUP APPARATUS AND)
FOCUSING CONTROL METHOD)

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**RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE CORRECTED APPLICATION PAPERS AND
SUBMISSION OF FORMAL DRAWINGS**

In response to the Notice to File Corrected Application Papers mailed March 29, 2002, filed herewith are (21) sheets of formal patent drawings containing (23) figures. It is requested that these drawings be approved and made part of the official record in the above-identified patent application. A copy of the Notice to File Corrected Application Papers is attached herewith.

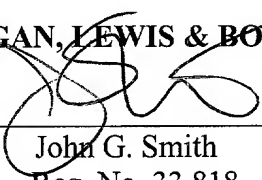
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Respectfully submitted,

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This application has been accorded an Application Number and Filing Date. The application, however, is informal since it does not comply with the regulations for the reason(s) indicated below. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to correct the informalities indicated below. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a)

The required item(s) identified below must be timely submitted to avoid abandonment:

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